

**Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Finance & Revenue
Notice of Public Hearing**

John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

REVISED AND ABBREVIATED

**COUNCILMEMBER JACK EVANS, CHAIR
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND REVENUE**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

**Bill 15-104, the "District of Columbia Neighborhood Economic Development and
Investment Amendment Act of 2003"; and
Bill 15-302, the "Neighborhood Investment Act of 2003"**

Monday, June 23, 2003 – 10:00 a.m.

Room 412

**John A. Wilson Building - 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jack Evans, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Revenue, announces a public hearing on bill 15-104, the "District of Columbia Neighborhood Economic Development and Investment Amendment Act of 2003" and bill 15-302, the "Neighborhood Investment Act of 2003". The hearing will be held on Monday, June 23, 2003 at 10:00 a.m. in room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

Bill 15-104, the "District of Columbia Neighborhood Economic Development and Investment Amendment Act of 2003" would establish a streamlined approval process for various economic assistance programs; improve the manner in which revenue bonds are issued, repeal the existing Tax Increment Financing Act and establish a more comprehensive and improved Act; establish economic development incentives in the form of payments in lieu of taxes and the formation of special assessment districts; and provide for the award of certain development and employment incentives to qualified businesses. This legislation was introduced on January 31, 2003 by Chairman Linda Cropp at the request of the Mayor. Bill 15-302, the "Neighborhood Investment Act of 2003" would increase the personal property tax from to \$3.90 in order to create a Neighborhood Investment Fund to finance neighborhood economic development in nine targeted areas of the District. This legislation was introduced by Councilmember Jack Evans, and cosponsored by eight members of the Council.

The Committee invites the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact Schannette Grant at (202) 724-8058, or sgrant@dccouncil.washington.dc.us, and provide your name and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Thursday, June 19, 2003. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the roundtable. The Committee allows each witness 3 minutes to testify. Additional time may be allowed for witnesses representing organizations or for witnesses appearing as a panel.

Written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, The Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004. The record for this hearing will remain open until the close of business on Monday, July 7, 2003.

This hearing notice has been revised to add Bill 15-302, the "Neighborhood Investment Act of 2003" to the notice for this hearing. An abbreviated notice is being given on Bill 15-302 so the Committee may consider this matter at the hearing, and act on the legislation before the summer recess.

**Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Finance & Revenue
Notice of Public Hearing**

John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20004

REVISED

**COUNCILMEMBER JACK EVANS, CHAIR
COMMITTEE ON FINANCE AND REVENUE**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

**Bill 15-188, the "Homestead Exemption Amendment Act of 2003";
Bill 15-210, the "Equity in Real Property Tax Assessment Act of 2003"; and
Bill 15-303, the "Owner-Occupant Residential Tax Credit Act of 2003".**

Thursday, July 10, 2003 – 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Room 412

**John A. Wilson Building - 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004**

Councilmember Jack Evans, Chairman of the Committee on Finance and Revenue, announces a public hearing on Bill 15-188, the "Homestead Exemption Amendment Act of 2003", Bill 15-210, the "Equity in Real Property Tax Assessment Act of 2003", and Bill 15-303, the "Owner-Occupant Residential Tax Credit Act of 2003". The hearing will be held on Thursday, July 10, 2003 from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. in room 412 of the John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004.

Bill 15-188, the "Homestead Exemption Amendment Act of 2003", would amend Title 47 of the D.C. Code to increase the homestead property tax exemption from the current \$30,000 to \$100,000. Bill 15-210, the "Equity in Real Property Tax Assessment Act of 2003", would amend Title 47 of the D.C. Code to require that any real property tax assessment that is revised by the Board of Real Property Assessments and Appeals shall be the basis for subsequent assessments of a property. Bill 15-303, the "Owner-Occupant Residential Tax Credit Act of 2003" would replace the current 25% cap on rising property tax bills with a cap set at 10%.

The Committee invites the public to testify at the hearing. Those who wish to testify should contact Schannette Grant at (202) 724-8058, or sgrant@dccouncil.washington.dc.us, and provide your name and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Tuesday, July 8, 2003. Witnesses should bring 15 copies of their written testimony to the roundtable. The Committee allows each witness 3 minutes to testify. Additional time may be allowed for witnesses representing organizations or for witnesses appearing as a panel.

Written statements are encouraged and will be made part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, The Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004. The record for this hearing will remain open until the close of business on Thursday, July 24, 2003.

This hearing notice has been revised to add Bill 15-303, the "Owner-Occupant Residential Tax Credit Act of 2003" to the notice for this hearing.

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20004

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**ABBREVIATED****COUNCILMEMBER HAROLD BRAZIL**

CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

announces a public hearing on

Bill 15-242, "Disposal of District Owned Surplus Real Property Amendment Act of 2003"

Thursday, June 26, 2003, 3:00 p.m.
Room 412 — 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Councilmember Harold Brazil, Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, announces a public hearing on Bill 15-242, "Disposal of District Owned Surplus Real Property Amendment Act of 2003". The public hearing will be held at 3:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, in Room 412 of 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (John A. Wilson Building).

Bill 15-242, if approved, would amend District law to extend, until February 10, 2004, the time in which the Mayor may dispose of a property located at 2341 Fourth Street, N.E.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony from the government and the public on the proposed legislation. Persons who wish to present oral testimony at the hearing should provide their names, addresses, and telephone numbers, as well as the name of the organization they represent (if any) to Barry Kreiswirth, Clerk of the Committee on Economic Development (202-724-8792) by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 24, 2003. Persons presenting oral testimony will be limited to 4 minutes. All persons presenting oral testimony should provide the Committee with 25 written copies of their testimony at or prior to the hearing. Persons wishing to submit only written testimony may submit their testimony by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, to: Barry Kreiswirth, Committee Clerk, Committee on Economic Development, Room 119, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, or by fax to 202-724-4726.

A copy of Bill 15-242 may be obtained from the Council's Legislative Services Division at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Room 2, Washington, DC 20004, 202-724-8050.

This notice is abbreviated in order to allow consideration of the proposed resolution at the July 8, 2003, meeting of the Council.

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20004

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING**ABBREVIATED****COUNCILMEMBER HAROLD BRAZIL**

CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

announces a public hearing on the

PR 15-213, "Disposition by a Request Proposals for the Disposition of Georgia Avenue-Petworth Metro Station Parcel A Site Approval Resolution of 2003"

Thursday, June 26, 2003, 3:30 p.m.
Room 412 — 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Councilmember Harold Brazil, Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, announces a public hearing on PR 15-213, "Disposition by a Request Proposals for the Disposition of Georgia Avenue-Petworth Metro Station Parcel A Site Approval Resolution of 2003". The public hearing will be held at 3:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, in Room 412 of 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (John A. Wilson Building).

PR 15-213 would approve a request for proposals (RFP) for the disposition of several lots in Square 2900, adjacent to the Georgia Avenue-Petworth Metrorail station. The property, consisting of nearly 60,000 square feet, is located in the square bounded by Quincy Street to the north, Georgia Avenue to the east, Rock Creek Church Road to the south, and Ninth Street to the west. The RFP would seek proposals for the mixed-use development of the site, including housing and retail.

The purpose of this hearing is to receive testimony from the government and the public on the proposed RFP. Persons who wish to present oral testimony at the hearing should provide their names, addresses, and telephone numbers, as well as the name of the organization they represent (if any) to Barry Kreiswirth, Clerk of the Committee on Economic Development (202-724-8792) by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 24, 2003. Persons presenting oral testimony will be limited to 4 minutes. All persons presenting oral testimony should provide the Committee with 25 written copies of their testimony at or prior to the hearing. Persons wishing to submit only written testimony may submit their testimony by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, to: Barry Kreiswirth, Committee Clerk, Committee on Economic Development, Room 119, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, or by fax to 202-724-4726.

A copy of PR 15-213, including the proposed RFP, may be obtained from the Council's Legislative Services Division at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Room 2, Washington, DC 20004, 202-724-8050.

This notice is abbreviated in order to allow consideration of the proposed resolution at the July 8, 2003, meeting of the Council.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on the Judiciary
Notice of Public Hearing

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20004

ABBREVIATED

**COUNCILMEMBER KATHY PATTERSON, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

P.R. 15-229

**"CHIEF ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE OF THE OFFICE OF
ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS TYRONE T. BUTLER
CONFIRMATION APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**June 25, 2003
10 a.m. to 12 p.m.**

**John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004
5th Floor Chamber**

On Wednesday, June 25, 2003, Councilmember Kathy Patterson, Chairperson of the Committee on the Judiciary, will hold a public hearing on PR 15-229, the "Chief Administrative Law Judge of the Office of Administrative Hearings Tyrone T. Butler Confirmation Approval Resolution of 2003." The hearing will be held in the 5th Floor Council Chamber, and will begin at 10 a.m.

This notice has been abbreviated in order to allow consideration of this confirmation prior to the commencement of the Council Recess.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Tami Lewis, Legislative Assistant to the Committee on the Judiciary, at (202) 724-7808. The public is encouraged to send copies of any written statements to Ms.

Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20004. The record will officially close on July 9, 2003.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on the Judiciary
Notice of Public Hearing

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C. 20004

ABBREVIATED

**COUNCILMEMBER KATHY PATTERSON, CHAIRPERSON
COMMITTEE ON THE JUDICIARY**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC HEARING ON

P.R. 15-230

**“CORPORATION COUNSEL ROBERT SPAGNOLETTI
CONFIRMATION APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2003”**

**June 25, 2003
2 p.m. to 5 p.m.**

**John A. Wilson Building
1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW
Washington, D.C. 20004
5th Floor Chamber**

On Wednesday, June 25, 2003, Councilmember Kathy Patterson, Chairperson of the Committee on the Judiciary, will hold a public hearing on PR 15-230, the “Corporation Counsel Robert Spagnoletti Confirmation Approval Resolution of 2003.” The hearing will be held in the 5th Floor Council Chamber, and will begin at 2 p.m.

This notice has been abbreviated in order to allow consideration of this confirmation prior to the commencement of the Council Recess.

The Committee invites the public to testify or to submit written testimony, which will be made a part of the official record. Anyone wishing to testify at the hearing should contact Tami Lewis, Legislative Assistant to the Committee on the Judiciary, at (202) 724-7808. The public is encouraged to send copies of any written statements to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, DC 20004. The record will officially close on July 9, 2003.

COUNCIL OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, NW
WASHINGTON, DC 20004

NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

COUNCILMEMBER HAROLD BRAZIL

CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

announces a public roundtable on

**PR 15-119, "Public Access Corporation Board of Directors Cynthiana I.B. Lightfoot
Confirmation Resolution of 2003"**

**PR 15-193, "Public Access Corporation Board of Directors Cynthia R. Kain
Confirmation Resolution of 2003"**

Thursday, June 26, 2003, 1:30 p.m.
Room 412 — 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Councilmember Harold Brazil, Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, announces a public roundtable on PR 15-119, "Public Access Corporation Board of Directors Cynthiana I.B. Lightfoot Confirmation Resolution of 2003", and PR 15-193, "Public Access Corporation Board of Directors Cynthia R. Kain Confirmation Resolution of 2003". The public roundtable will be held at 1:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, in Room 412 at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW.

The Public Access Corporation ("Corporation") was established under District law for the purpose of facilitating and governing nondiscriminatory use by the public of those specifically designated and reserved noncommercial public access channels of a cable system. The Corporation is governed by a Board of Directors. Two of the Board members are appointed by the Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, subject to the review and approval of the Council. Proposed Resolutions 15-119, if approved by the Council, would confirm the nomination made by the Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development to the Board of Cynthiana I.B. Lightfoot. Proposed Resolutions 15-193, if approved by the Council, would confirm the nomination made by the Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development to the Board of Cynthia R. Kain.

The purpose of this roundtable is to receive testimony from the nominees and the public on the nominations. Persons who wish to present oral testimony at the roundtable should provide their names, addresses, telephone numbers, and the name of the organization they represent (if any) to David L. Goldblatt, Committee Counsel to the Committee on Economic Development, at 202-724-8078, by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 24, 2003. Each person presenting oral testimony will be limited to 3 minutes and should provide the Committee with 25 written copies of his or her testimony at, or prior to, the hearing. Persons wishing to submit only written testimony may submit such testimony by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, to: David L. Goldblatt,

Committee Counsel, Committee on Economic Development, Room 119, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, by mail, or by fax to 202-724-4726.

Copies of the proposed resolutions may be obtained from the Council's Legislative Services Division at 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004 (202-724-8050).

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation
Notice of Public Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

Revised

**COUNCILMEMBER KEVIN P. CHAVOUS, CHAIRMAN
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

ON

**PR 15-168 "BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
CHARLES J. Ogletree, JR. CONFIRMATION RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**Wednesday, June 18, 2003
1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.
The John Wilson Building, Room 412
3:00 p.m.**

On, Wednesday, June 18, 2003 at 3:00 p.m., in Room 412 of The John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Councilmember Kevin P. Chavous, Chairman of the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, will hold a Public Roundtable on The University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees Confirmation Resolution for Charles J. Ogletree, Jr. This notice was revised in order to change the location from the Council Chambers to room 412.

The purpose of this Public Roundtable is to receive testimony and comment regarding confirmation resolutions of this distinguished individual to the University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Persons who wish to testify are asked to contact Andrea Delaney, Committee Aide for the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, at (202) 724-8068 and furnish their name, telephone number and organizational affiliation by noon, Tuesday, June 17, 2003. You may also forward your information via fax to (202) 724-7133. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. Individuals will be permitted a maximum of three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations. The press should contact Eric Rogers at 724-8068.

If you are unable to testify, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Washington, DC 20004. The record will officially close on Tuesday, June 24, 2003.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation
Notice of Public Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

REVISED

**COUNCILMEMBER KEVIN P. CHAVOUS, CHAIRMAN
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE**ON**

**PR 15-169 "BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA
DONALD N. LANGENBERG CONFIRMATION RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**Wednesday, June 18, 2003
1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.
The John Wilson Building, Room 412
4:00 p.m.**

On, Wednesday, June 18, 2003 at 4:00 p.m., in Room 412 of The John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Councilmember Kevin P. Chavous, Chairman of the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, will hold a Public Hearing on The University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees Confirmation Resolution for Donald N. Langenberg. This notice was revised in order to change the location from the Council Chambers to room 412.

The purpose of this Public Hearing is to receive testimony and comment regarding confirmation resolutions of this distinguished individual to the University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Persons who wish to testify are asked to contact Andrea Delaney, Committee Aide for the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, at (202) 724-8068 and furnish their name, telephone number and organizational affiliation by **noon, Tuesday, June 17, 2003**. You may also forward your information via fax to (202) 724-7133. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. **Individuals will be permitted a maximum of three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations.** The press should contact Eric Rogers at 724-8068.

If you are unable to testify, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Washington, DC 20004. The record will officially close on Tuesday, June 25, 2003.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation
Notice of Public Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.

Washington, D.C. 20004

Revised

**COUNCILMEMBER KEVIN P. CHAVOUS, CHAIRMAN
COMMITTEE ON EDUCATION, LIBRARIES AND RECREATION**

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

ON

**PR 15-170 "BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA MARK
PALMER CONFIRMATION RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**Wednesday, June 18, 2003
1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W.
The John Wilson Building, Room 412
2:00 p.m.**

On, Wednesday, June 18, 2003, at 2:00 p.m., in Room 412 of The John Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Councilmember Kevin P. Chavous, Chairman of the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, will hold a Public Roundtable on The University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees Confirmation Resolution for Mark Palmer. This notice was revised in order to change the location from the Council Chambers to room 412.

The purpose of this Public Roundtable is to receive testimony and comment regarding confirmation resolutions of this distinguished individual to the University of the District of Columbia Board of Trustees.

The Committee extends an invitation to the public to testify at the hearing. Persons who wish to testify are asked to contact Andrea Delaney, Committee Aide for the Committee on Education, Libraries and Recreation, at (202) 724-8068 and furnish their name, telephone number and organizational affiliation by **noon, Tuesday, June 17, 2003**. You may also forward your information via fax to (202) 724-7133. Written statements to be presented at the hearing should be transmitted prior to the day of the hearing. Witnesses should also bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the hearing. **Individuals will be permitted a maximum of three minutes and panels will be limited to five minutes for oral presentations.** The press should contact Eric Rogers at 724-8068.

If you are unable to testify, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to Ms. Phyllis Jones, Secretary to the Council, Suite 5, 1350 Pennsylvania Ave, N.W., Washington, DC 20004. The record will officially close on Tuesday, June 25, 2003.

Council of the District of Columbia Notice of Public Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN LINDA W. CROPP
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON**

**PR 15-209, "TRANSFER OF EASEMENT FOR VEHICULAR AND PEDESTRIAN
ACCESS TO 115 NEW YORK AVENUE, N.W., APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2003, 3:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBER
THE JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Linda W. Cropp announces the scheduling of a public roundtable by the Committee of the Whole on PR 15-209, "Transfer of Easement for Vehicular and Pedestrian Access to 115 New York Avenue, N.W., Approval Resolution of 2003." The public roundtable is scheduled for Tuesday, June 24, 2003, at 3:00 p.m., in the Council Chamber, located on the 5th floor of The John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

PR 15-209 would approve the conveyance of an easement across a portion of the New York Avenue Playground located on lots 61 and 158 in Square 555 for vehicular and pedestrian access to a nine-car parking lot behind a newly renovated 10-unit apartment building located at 115 New York Avenue, N.W. In exchange for the easement, the owner of the apartment building, Nextgen Development, LLC, will pay \$20,000 to the District, and will also make significant improvements to the New York Avenue Playground, including the installation of more lighting and the repair of facilities over a five-year period.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify at the public roundtable are asked to telephone Aretha Latta, Administrative Assistant to the Committee of the Whole, at 724-8196, or send e-mail to alatta@dccouncil.us, and furnish their names, addresses, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Friday, June 20, 2003. They should also bring with them 20 copies of their written testimony or submit one copy of their written testimony by Friday, June 20, 2003. Persons presenting testimony may be limited to 5 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

Written statements for the record are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 410, Washington, D.C. 20004. All persons wishing to comment are urged to review the nominee's qualifications prior to the public roundtable. Copies of PR 15-209 may be obtained from the Legislative Services Division of the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 2, (202) 724-8050.

Council of the District of Columbia
Committee on Government Operations
NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004

COMMITTEE ON GOVERNMENT OPERATIONS

COUNCILMEMBER VINCENT B. ORANGE, SR., CHAIRPERSON

ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE ON

PR 15-222, "Secretary of the District of Columbia Sherryl A. Hobbs Newman
Confirmation Approval Resolution of 2003"

Monday, June 23, 2003

1:00 p.m.

John A. Wilson Building

Council Chamber*

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Washington, D.C. 20004

Councilmember Vincent B. Orange, Sr., Chairperson of the Committee on Government Operations, announces a Public Roundtable on Proposed Resolution 15-222, "Secretary of the District of Columbia Sherryl A. Hobbs Newman Confirmation Approval Resolution of 2003". The Public Roundtable will be held on Monday, June 23, 2003 at 12:00 p.m., in the 5th Floor Council Chamber, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W. The purpose of PR 15-222 is to confirm the appointment of Sherryl A. Hobbs Newman as Secretary of the District of Columbia. In accordance with section 2 of the Confirmation Act of 1978, effective March 3, 1979 (D.C. Law 2-142; D.C. Official Code §1-523.01), Ms. Hobbs Newman is to serve at the pleasure of the Mayor.

Those who wish to testify should contact Mr. Kristopher Howard, Committee on Government Operations, at (202) 724-8191, by the close of business on Friday, June 20, 2003. Witnesses should bring 20 copies of their written testimony to the Public Roundtable. Witnesses will be permitted a maximum of (5) minutes for oral presentation.

If you are unable to testify at the Public Roundtable, written statements are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. Copies of written statements should be submitted to the Committee on Government Operations, John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004, no later than Monday, July 7, 2003.

Council of the District of Columbia Notice of Public Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN LINDA W. CROPP
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON**

**PR 15-233, "TRANSFER OF JURISDICTION OF THE NEW YORK AVENUE ANIMAL
SHELTER EXPANSION SITE RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2003, 3:30 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBER
THE JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Linda W. Cropp announces the scheduling of a public roundtable by the Committee of the Whole on PR 15-233, "Transfer of Jurisdiction of the New York Avenue Animal Shelter Expansion Site Resolution of 2003." The public roundtable is scheduled for Tuesday, June 24, 2003, at 3:30 p.m., in the Council Chamber, located on the 5th floor of The John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

PR 15-233 would accept the proposed transfer of jurisdiction from the U.S. National Park Service to the District of certain undeveloped land on a portion of U.S. Reservation 495 in the 1200 block of New York Avenue, N.E., for the purpose of expanding the existing animal shelter located on the adjoining parcel at 1201 New York Avenue, N.E. The 29,495 square feet of land to be transferred for animal shelter purposes was previously transferred from the National Park Service to the District for recreational purposes.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify at the public roundtable are asked to telephone Aretha Latta, Administrative Assistant to the Committee of the Whole, at 724-8196, or send e-mail to alatta@dccouncil.us, and furnish their names, addresses, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Friday, June 20, 2003. They should also bring with them 20 copies of their written testimony or submit one copy of their written testimony by Friday, June 20, 2003. Persons presenting testimony may be limited to 5 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

Written statements for the record are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, Suite 410, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. All persons wishing to comment are urged to review the nominee's qualifications prior to the public roundtable. Copies of PR 15-233 may be obtained from the Legislative Services Division of the Council, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Suite 2, (202) 724-8050.

Council of the District of Columbia Notice of Public Roundtable

1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, DC 20004

**CHAIRMAN LINDA W. CROPP
ANNOUNCES A PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE
BY THE COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE ON**

**PR 15-238, "GENERAL OBLIGATION BOND ISSUANCE
APPROVAL RESOLUTION OF 2003"**

**TUESDAY, JUNE 24, 2003, 2:00 P.M.
COUNCIL CHAMBER
THE JOHN A. WILSON BUILDING
1350 PENNSYLVANIA AVENUE, N.W.**

Council Chairman Linda W. Cropp announces the scheduling of a public roundtable by the Committee of the Whole on PR 15-238, "General Obligation Bond Issuance Approval Resolution of 2003." The public roundtable is scheduled for Tuesday, June 24, 2003, at 2:00 p.m., in the Council Chamber, located on the 5th floor of The John A. Wilson Building, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W.

PR 15-238, introduced at the request of the Mayor, would approve the borrowing of funds by the Mayor through the issuance and sale of general obligation bonds to finance approved capital projects in the District's capital improvement program.

Individuals and representatives of organizations who wish to testify at the public hearing are asked to telephone Aretha Latta, Administrative Assistant to the Committee of the Whole, at 724-8196, or send e-mail to alatta@dccouncil.washington.dc.us, and furnish their names, addresses, telephone numbers and organizational affiliation, if any, by the close of business on Monday, June 23, 2003. They should also bring with them 20 copies of their written testimony or submit one copy of their written testimony by Monday, June 23, 2003. Persons presenting testimony may be limited to 5 minutes in order to permit each witness an opportunity to be heard.

Written statements for the record are encouraged and will be made a part of the official record. All statements should be submitted to the Committee of the Whole, Council of the District of Columbia, The John A. Wilson Building, Suite 410, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20004. All persons wishing to comment are urged to review the legislation prior to the public roundtable. Copies of PR 15-238 may be obtained from the Legislative Services Division of the Council, The John A. Wilson Building, Suite 10, (202) 724-8050.

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC ROUNDTABLE

COUNCILMEMBER HAROLD BRAZIL

CHAIRPERSON OF THE COMMITTEE ON ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

announces a public roundtable on

**Proposed Revenue Bond Project Financing for
Friendship Public Charter School, Inc.**

Thursday, June 26, 2003, 2:30 p.m.
Room 412 — 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW

Councilmember Harold Brazil, Chairperson of the Committee on Economic Development, announces a public roundtable on proposed revenue bond project financing for Friendship Public Charter School, Inc. The roundtable will be held at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, in Room 412 of 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW (John A. Wilson Building).

Friendship Public Charter School, Inc. has applied to the District for the issuance of up to \$45 million in revenue bonds to support certain projects of the school. The proceeds of the revenue bond issuance will be used to refinance existing debt associated with the acquisition and renovation of four school buildings (Chamberlain Elementary, located at 1345 Potomac Avenue, SE; Woodridge Elementary, located at 2959 Carlton Avenue, NE; Blow Pierce Junior Academy, located at 725 19th Street, NE; and Carter G. Woodson Collegiate Academy, located at 4095 Minnesota Avenue, NE); to make further capital improvements at the buildings; and to purchase computers and other technology equipment. The bonds, if and when issued, would be neither general obligations, nor a pledge, of the District of Columbia. The bonds would be without recourse to the District and would not involve the faith and credit or taxing power of the District; they would not constitute debt of the District; and they would not constitute a lending of public credit for private undertakings as described in section 602(a)(2) of the Home Rule Act. The bonds would be payable solely from payments of Friendship Public Charter School, Inc.

The roundtable is being held to satisfy the requirements of the federal Tax Equity and Fiscal Responsibility Act and to receive public comment on the proposed project financing. Any interested person may appear and be heard. Persons who wish to present oral testimony at the hearing should provide their names, telephone numbers, and the name of the organization they represent (if any) to Barry Kreiswirth, Committee Clerk, at 202-724-8792, by 5:00 p.m. on Tuesday, June 24, 2003. Each person presenting oral testimony will be limited to 4 minutes and should provide the Committee with 20 written copies of their testimony at, or prior to, the hearing. Persons wishing to submit only written testimony may submit their testimony by 5:00 p.m. on Thursday, June 26, 2003, to: Barry Kreiswirth, Committee Clerk, Committee on Economic Development, Room 119, 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20004, by mail, or by fax to 202-724-4726.

A copy of Friendship Public Charter School, Inc.'s application for bond financing may be inspected during business hours at the office of the Council's Committee on Economic Development, located in Room 119 of 1350 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW. Persons wishing to inspect the application should call Barry Kreiswirth, Committee Clerk, at 202-724-8792.